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"Learn me," says the philosopher, "and ye shall find restlessness." "Learn me of," says Christ, "and ye shall find rest."

—Drummond.

This Means Much to Morehead

The establishment of a branch office of the War Production Board in Morehead, as announced elsewhere in this issue, is a most important development and will provide a considerable convenience for people in Fleming, Bath, Elliott and the western part of Carter County.

Officials of the War Manpower office estimate that the Morehead branch will serve around 500 people a week. Heretofore, many of these people have had to go to Ashland, which is 61 miles from Morehead and around 90 to 100 from the northern and western part of Fleming County.

From the Morehead business man's standpoint, it will mean that a hundred people a day will be brought to our city. They, of course, represent prospective customers.

This office also handles all information as to veteran's legislation, etc. This gives Morehead College an inside track on prospective students receiving Federal Aid since they clear through this office.

The Morehead Board of Trade assisted in the location of the office in Morehead. The speed with which the government went into establishing this office is unusual in view of the red tape generally resulting in all matters dealing with the government. Less than a week after the Board of Trade submitted information regarding the proposed site for the offices, representatives of the War Manpower and Civilian Control Commission were in Morehead and had signed the lease for the office.

Rowan County's Farm Program

The program outlined by the Rowan County Farmers Club for this year is in keeping with the advancement of agriculture in the county; it constitutes aims that should have been striven for many years before.

In any strict classification Rowan is a mountain county. But, we have thousands of acres of very productive land, much of it capable of producing tobacco and other products in as great a quantity and as of good quality as the soil of our blue-grass neighbors.

Until recent years, there has been no movement to educate our farmers to the best methods of cultivation. For years and years Rowan County farmers have for the most part, eked out an existence, the soil becoming poorer and poorer each year.

The Rowan County Farmers Club is a new organization. We have previously rectified their accomplishments during last year. The program they outline for 1945 is more comprehensive.

They plan to continue the Harvest Festival and Fat Cattle show which was so successful last year. The poultry is to be included in the show this year, while the entire festival is to be enlarged upon.

Second on their list is to start a pure bred sire program in the county, which will be a noteworthy accomplishment in itself. A drive is already being started by the club to get farmers to grow hybrid corn and to establish two complete hybrid corn demonstrations. A tobacco program aimed to raise the quality of Rowan County tobacco and an educational program to encourage farmers to buy better seed and insist on seed that is free from noxious seeds are other aims of the club.

They have thrown their support behind the swine work now carried on by the 4-H and FFA Clubs and have provided that swine be included in the next cattle show and harvest festival. The Rowan County Farmers Club plans to hold another field day this year.

The program planned is considerable. But, what leads us to believe that the club will accomplish most of its objectives is the interest being shown in the organization by local business men and by farmers.

The Rowan County farmer has never wanted to be backward. But he has needed leadership. Considerable progress has already been made, and production from our farms has increased each year as better farming methods are employed.

The Rowan County Farmers Club, the County Agency office, the 4-H club, the FFA, the Soil Conservation office, the U. S. Forest Service and other agencies are now working toward a common goal in Rowan County; a goal based on the knowledge that all wealth must stem from the soil.

Boy Scout Week

Perhaps not everyone realizes what a great world asset has developed from the Boy Scout movement. The product of this will be the democratic nations in a post-war world will be not merely economic, they will be psychological as well. Whole countries will have to develop new habits of thinking and foster a spirit of cooperation with each other based on mutual tolerance and respect.

Around the world the Scout movement for over three decades has proved to be an effective means of building understanding and good-will among

young. Before the war the world Scout membership numbered more than three millions. Over seventy lands had Boy Scouts, all with the same ideals and enjoying practically the same program. They regularly scheduled world jamborees or camps brought together every four years 25,000 and 50,000 boys from all over the world. The International friendships formed by these boys have spread in ever widening circles.

Both Mussolini and Hitler feared the power of scouting and abolished the scout organizations in their countries in favor of their own belching, hate-fostered youth programs. In the invaded countries they have persecuted scouts with special vindictiveness. But Scouts met in secret and kept in touch with each other through the International Scout Bureau in London. They are prepared to take up where they left off as each country is liberated.

Now the Boy Scouts of America in observing their 35th Anniversary take the theme "Scouts of the World—Brothers Together." The principles engendered by the Boy Scout program have the chance to be one of the strong links in universal world peace.

A Bad Situation Grows Worse

You may not like this editorial. It is very frank about a situation existing in our community of which none of us could be very proud.

We have always considered it the duty of a good newspaper to further everything worthwhile for its community and people. It is then speaking truth. But the existence of evil within a community can only be curbed or eradicated by bringing it to the attention of the people.

This is the situation that exists in our community today, which too many of us are prone to shrug away.

(a) The Rowan County Health Department reports the worst epidemic of venereal diseases the county has ever known.

(b) Police officers and the city police judge say that arrests are higher, collection of fines more, and lawlessness in general in Morehead is worse than it has ever been.

(c) The docket at the last term of Circuit Court was the worst that Rowan County has had in 10 years or more.

(d) The March docket apparently will be no better. Another murder has already occurred in Morehead and many other violations, some of them of a vicious nature, or seemed to come before the grand jury.

(e) The docket in city police court shows that the arrests of women is growing higher and higher. Some women have been arrested time after time. The women seem to have less horror of being put in jail than ever before.

Dr. T. A. E. Evans, County Health Doctor, said last week that most of this high venereal disease rate is stemming from girls 16 to 20 years of age who will not seek treatment. Police officers bear the Health Department out in this. City police say that more young girls are on the streets at night and congregating with men than they have ever before known. In each instance that the Health Department can secure evidence of anyone carrying a venereal disease they cashing them in for examination. But, it is difficult on them to ascertain very many of the cases. Dr. Evans does report that in some cases an entire family is under treatment.

Men who contract venereal diseases are much more apt to seek treatment. Dr. Evans and local physicians report.

The county health office has many cases of persons being treated several times in the past year, contracting the disease time after time.

City police acknowledge that the local situation is very difficult to control. It can be said for sure that they are arresting more and more violators. Most of them pay their fines and are back again in a few days. One public officer asked this newspaper to carry each week the police docket in the hope that their names being in print, week after week, as being arrested will help.

The city is planning to purchase a patrol car to help police in covering the town better. The city seems to be aware of the situation, but curbing it is proving difficult.

Let's Keep Producers "In Office"

The wages of American workmen are not higher than elsewhere in the world merely by accident or because of union demands. They are higher because American workmen are productive. And one of the reasons they are productive is found in the genius of American management. Management, stimulated by competition, constantly strives to step up production, constantly strives to do a "bigger business." As the productivity of industry increases, the workers naturally share the fruits of the increase.

The wages of our coal miners bring a gasp of astonishment to the lips of miners in other parts of the world—but then, so do our coal production figures. In 1943, coal miners in this country produced 1,250 net tons per man—about four times the production of the average British coal miner. Part of the credit for the amazing records of our coal miners must go to the coal operators for constantly increasing mechanical operating efficiency.

The ability to produce is the outstanding trait of the competitive enterprise system, and any country that feels he has no stake in helping to preserve this system will find to his regret the reason back of the size of his pay check. He will find that it boils down to just one word—production. Let's keep the producers "in office."

To Those Who Grieve

By RUTH TAYLOR

"It is better to break your heart than to do nothing with it."

We read that line once and it has stayed in our memory. We talk now not to those whose dreams come true but to those who have been hurt—to those who dread to look ahead—to all those whom war has bereft.

To them we say—nothing can take away what you have had. Even though you have lost what was dearer than life, would you rather never have had it?

Suppose you have lost what you have dreamed of having? So what? Would you have rather never have dreamed?

Can you truthfully say that you would rather

never have loved—than loved and lost? Can you truthfully say you would rather have no memories?

Is your heart broken—or bruised? Remember, a bruised flower gives the sweetest fragrance.

We say to you—wake up—life is richer because of what you have had. Stop bewailing. Be grateful for what happiness was yours—that is one thing no one can ever take from you.

"This Day I've Lived," Horace wrote centuries ago.

However deep your grief, however great your loss, you had something out of life. Would you, to protect yourself from hurt—never have lived? Only those who do not live do not suffer. Shut your heart from those things that are worth caring for and you shut your heart to any reason for living.

What if you have lost? Face your sorrow! Be glad for what you have had! You can overcome sorrow—but you can never fill the vacuum of a heart that's dead.

Brace up! "It is better to break your heart than to let it rot." Kentucky Democrats faced the same proposition this week that the Republicans face nationally.

SUNSHINE SKETCHES

By REX HOKÉ

Not least of the purposes in this column is doing something about the sad faces in this little village. I say, little village for euphony sake, not in any sense to needle the board of trade.

For it goes without dejection it but by justifying another baby much as I like babies.

Anyway I have bought a pair of muffs and intend to try to throw this stuff through the window.

Before getting too far afield let me add that by devout means I learned the good people of this great sprawling little village had a taste for fine literature. Chicago is the hog center of the world.

A reader told me the other day he had read a column of mine five or six times and hadn't got the points hemmed in. That I call inexcusable writing. My idea of an egoist is anyone more interested in himself than in his readers. I have a great many friends like that one, but I regard as an enemy anyone who would secretly like to be running this column instead of me.

It is likewise bad for a writer to see deeper into life than his audience. There was my dear friend Wadsworth, who wrote in his column a piece on how to manage a wife. When his readers said he knew more about handling them than they did they wouldn't stand for it and ran him in. He, of course, had to discontinue the column until things died down.

A writer who does anything but mirror opinion of his audience is headed for trouble all the time. Most of them know better. But here I will conceal nothing. I shall feel out of the defenses bell-gerents with light skirmish or two to find the soft spots, then in a swift broad attacking movement aim to drive a wedge in the southern exposure of someone.

I may not often call you by name, like the preacher, but all the time I am talking about you and you, and you. Very few columns are so in a salary but are lavishly paid by individuals who need an enemy reduced to rubble. Most of the libel suits are unjustified, for if people behaved, the columnist would find nothing to write about. Drew Pearson is doing a right good job of keeping things straight up in Washington. They don't dare do anything. I figure this little village is about my size.

Yet of the many areas of my denunciations, one perhaps less dense regarding what is in the mind. This I explored in the university and out for a good many years. I have concluded that what makes us go straight is our neighbor's inflammable, hair-trigger viciousness. I have on my list now two or three who I better walk the primrose path for a few days until my ship steadies. No, it isn't love of goodness that keeps us straight, it is a fear that one might have his own nerves will beat us on the nose.

Like ants we carry on our backs a bundle of money and provision. We may stop to eat and drink or make love, but we always go back and get it before going on.

It seems to me sometimes that people would be fixed so they would be tough at the times where there is something funny, and be serious where there is something important had God a fist.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce:

BERNARD (BUN) DAY

As a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican Party at the August 4, 1945 primary.



MOREHEAD STATE TEACHER COLLEGE

The first of a series of book hours was held last Sunday afternoon between 2:00 and 3:00 o'clock in the college library, with over thirty in attendance.

Miss Mary C. Hagan, a college senior, reviewed Emily Brontë's novel, *Wuthering Heavens*. Mr. Sam J. Denney of the Breckinridge Training School faculty reviewed *The Prophet* by Kahlil Gibran. Mr. Fred Dudley of the college faculty presided.

Next Sunday at the same hour, with Miss Margaret K. Findlay presiding, biographies will be discussed by Miss Elin Land and Mrs. W. C. Windland. All persons interested are invited to attend.

People too often fail to realize that the schools belong to them. No other institution in our society is so definitely community owned. Everyone who pays taxes has "stock" in the schools, but not all citizens are sufficiently concerned about the investment they

are making in education.

Frequently, vandals are permitted to destroy school property without arousing any particular feeling of indignation on the part of the public that will have to bear the expense of replacement. If such damage should be done to your own home you would probably demand that the culprits receive proper punishment. You would be within your rights in making such a demand for other people have no right to destroy that which is yours. Why don't you take the same attitude toward school property? This property is also yours.

Most parents want their children to have the best possible education. They have some interest in the school, but the pressure of daily affairs acts in such a way that school matters are shunted into the background. Possibly some of this lack of public interest is caused by the fact that the school people do not present their problems to the people for consideration.

We expect to present this column for several weeks and plan to discuss educational problems that should be significant. It is hoped that such discussions will contribute toward creating greater interest in the program of this institution which we all own. We will help in the accomplishment of this purpose if you will advise us concerning any problems or questions that you would like to have considered.

Farmers Are Urged To Study Soil Losses

Soil Conservation Information Available In County

Farmers at this season of the year are taking inventory and making plans for the coming year. One item the farmer often overlooks in taking inventory is the amount of soil he has lost this winter.

Land that wasn't covered with a snow crop has suffered greatly. Heavy snow and rain, on bare land that has been loosened by freezing and thawing, can easily wash away more plant food than the farmer cares about buying in the paper bag and putting back in the soil.

Land that wasn't cultivated on the contour has suffered greatly. Water gathers on long gentle slopes and begins following the rows. Soon it has enough cutting power to remove all the loose dirt between the rows. Soil once lost is hard to replace.

A good job of cultivating on the contour and seeding to a good cover crop can be seen on Robert Bishop's farm on the Flemingsburg road. Bob says, "I sure have saved a lot of soil from washing away this winter. I plan to handle all my land the same way."

Plan now to plant your corn and tobacco on the contour. Contour cultivation is not a cure-all but it will greatly reduce soil losses. Just trower or row across a little dam to stop and hold water thus preventing it from gushing and running between the rows that are planted straight up grade and down.

Laying out the rows on a level is inexpensive to do and farmers cannot afford to ignore this simple practice in saving soil.

Any farmer wanting assistance on laying out his fields for contour cultivation should contact the office of the Rowan County Soil Conservation District.

**HOW ABOUT
A BUMPER
CROP OF
WAR BONDS?**

WITH farm income higher than ever before... but with fewer and fewer things to buy, there never a better opportunity in our history for farmers to secure themselves financially strong and independent.

When the crop checks come in, put those surplus funds into War Bonds! They are the best investment ever offered for the people of America. You never get less than you lend, and you get \$4 for every \$3 at maturity.

The farm man reserves just like our armies in the field. By buying War Bonds, you provide reserves of tanks and guns and planes for our boys today while building reserves of cash for your own use tomorrow.

With bumper crops on every hand, we owe our boys and Uncle Sam a bumper crop of War Bonds. And we owe it to ourselves to save money against the uncertainties of

the future, to re-equip our farms with new and more efficient machinery, to repair and rebuild and repair farm equipment, machinery, and buildings. War Bonds will provide it.

War Bonds are the safest investment in the world, return a good rate of interest, are easy and convenient to buy—from banks, post office, retail dealer or Production Credit Association.

3 REASONS FOR INCREASING YOUR WAR BOND PURCHASES

1. The tempo of this war is hitting its highest point. Government expenditures for war are at the peak. More money is needed now than ever.

2. In proportion to WHO HAS THE MOST MONEY, individuals are not buying their share of War Bonds. America must come this situation.

3. War Bonds provide the farmer and rancher with the financial reserve to take care of the ordinary ups and downs of farming as a business.

4. Money will be needed urgently at a future date to replace and repair farm equipment, machinery, and buildings. War Bonds will provide it.

5. War Bonds are the safest investment in the world, return a good rate of interest, are easy and convenient to buy—from banks, post office, retail dealer or Production Credit Association.

For America's Future, for your Future, for your children's Future

*** * Keep Backing 'em Up—WITH WAR BONDS! * ***



We pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States, and to the Republic for which it stands, ONE NATION, indivisible with LIBERTY and JUSTICE for ALL.

AMERICANS ALL

CP. ONEY ON GERMAN SWAMP FRONT

Corporal Eugene Oney writes to Mrs. Everett Oney of Haldeman. He says:

Dear Folks:

I hope this letter finds you as well as I am. I would have written sooner, but I don't get much time for writing. I guess you know that I am fighting the Germans. I would like to tell more about what we are doing, but of course, can't do that. I would love to see you all the best in the world, but I can't come back until we lick the Germans which I know we can do. They asked for it and we are sure giving it to them and a lot of it, too.

I must close for this time, and will write as often as I can, but you write soon and keep them coming to me.

So long, Eugene.

SEABEES CELEBRATE THIRD ANNIVERSARY

The following letter is rather late in being published, but with the moving and consolidation of the papers and all attendant worries, we were unable to get it in American's All before this time. Even though the anniversary is past, the thought is good. It is written by J. L. Thomas who is serving somewhere in the Pacific with the Seabees.

Mr. Thomas writes:

The third anniversary of the the warship, fighting bunch of men in the nation's armed forces, the Navy Seabees, was observed on Christmas Day by 240,000 of the men of the U. S. Navy Construction Battalion. Born just three weeks after Pearl Harbor, with an authorized strength of 2,000, the Seabees won their spurs on Guadalcanal and have since. They have developed amazing equipment that helped carry the day in African, Sicilian and Normandy beachheads.

Every commissioned battalion serving overseas, or has completed a tour of duty, has been on their second tour; 76 percent are now outside continental limits of the United States.

As General Doug MacArthur wrote to Seabees Chief Vice-Admiral Ben Marshall, "The only trouble with your Seabees is that you don't have enough of them."

NEVER HAD FURLOUGH; IN SERVICE THREE YEARS

Pfc. Oval Roysse has never had a furlough. He has been in the service three years and has been with the military police since now on the borders of Russia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Roysse of Elliottville. He writes from Kevzin, Iran.

Dear Mother and Dad: Just a few lines to let you know that I am ok, and hope this finds you the same. I haven't received any letters for some time, but I have got three packages. That may be the reason for the mail stop. There are no words to tell how I appreciate those boxes. You know I don't need anything but just the thought of coming home makes me feel good. The fruit cake was sure good and it comes in handy when I come in from guard at night. The one I got last year was spoiled, but this one was fine. I hope this will be the last Christmas I will have to spend away from home. Here is a little money order to get the kids something for Christmas and if it's too late get them something anyway. I just had to send something. If this letter gets there I remain,

DR. D. DAY

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ACTS ON THE KIDNEYS

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Like thousands of others you will be glad that you did. Send name and address to Department D. Kilmer & Co., Inc., Box 1280, Stamford, Conn. Office Halted. Send at once. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

late, I hope that you've had a nice Christmas. With all my best wishes for luck for the New Year and if it gets there in time, I wish you all the same.

I will close now and will write soon again, or the next chance I get. And you write often. Love to all.

Your Son, Oval.

DEVILLE MARTIN RECEIVES LETTER OF SYMPATHY

The following letter received by Deville Martin, this city, from the unit that Arnold Martin, his son, was serving in overseas follows:

Mr. Orville Martin
Deerfield, Kentucky
Dear Mr. Martin:
The regretful news that your son, S/Sgt. Arnold Martin, 3554-3238, was killed in action on October 6, 1944 in Germany, has been read by the members of the unit. We are deeply sorry that he was so young and so brave.

His purpose in writing this letter is to express our deep sympathy for you in the loss you have suffered, and, at the same time, answer some of the questions which you have asked.

By and by, we will be able to tell you more about the details surrounding the death of your son, but I am sure you will understand the need for censorship regulations at the present time.

Your son died in line of duty in keeping with the highest standards and traditions of the Army so nobly and well. I hope that this will alleviate your sorrow just a little when I tell you that no man brings an early end to his life for human freedom. He was a soldier and a man. Both officers and men in his unit miss him greatly, but his courageous sacrifice has given all of us additional strength to complete the unfinished tasks before us.

Military services were conducted in your son's memory at his grave in Belgium by the chaplain. Information concerning his personal effects may be obtained by writing to the Quartermaster General, ASF, Washington, D. C.

With kindest personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,
Walter M. Johnson
Colonel, 117th Infantry
Commanding.

LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THREE OWENS BOYS

We have letters this week from the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Simm Owens of Clearfield. We are all carrying a front page story. One of the letters was received from their son, Kenneth, after his death on December 7th. He had been overseas only three months. He had been in the service a year last July, serving with the Engineers. Frank Owens is also in the service, serving with the ordnance truck company. He is in France. And Walter and Jesse Owens are both in the navy having enlisted at the same time. Both are in the Pacific area and have seen service in several battles.

Kenneth wrote on December 2 and said:

Dear Mom:
I'll drop you a few lines just to let you know that I am getting a long fine and hope all the family is the same. Mom, I haven't had a letter from you this week and am wondering what is wrong. I worry about you when I don't hear from you. I think of home more than anything. I got two letters from Sis and I wrote her three, guess that will make her feel better when she gets them. I got a letter from both Walter and Jesse last week and they are ok. I am sending you a money order. Mom, and you can do anything you want to with it.

I will close now; all my love to the family.

Your Son, Ken.

The next letter is from Jesse to his mother.

Darling:
I will try and answer the three letters I got from you today. I was sure glad to get them. I have been washing today and you know that is no job for me. I never had to do that at home. I met one of the boys I was in "book" with, and I was glad to see him. I never have seen Walter but keep thinking that I perhaps will one of these days. Have you heard from any of the boys? I never hear from any of them but Walter. You ask me about his place. I can't tell you anything, but just look around Rockville and you will have a good description. I guess the weather is cold there. I can't tell you how it is here, but we have been to town a few times since I've been here. Tell Jean I will be home some day and we will buy us a new car and go riding around. I hope that won't be too long off. Tell Mother and everyone "Hello" and to write Bye.

Walter is also writing to his wife and family. He says:

Dear Wife and Kids:

Just a few lines in answer to

your letter. In fact, a whole bunch of letters that I got at one time. This letter is fine. I stand four hours watch and eight hours in the sack—you would call it a bed. I have written several letters all at once. Do you ever hear from Peeler's wife?

Tell you he is still with me and is ok. I am up for another rating soon, if I make it, and I think I will. I am going to try for another. I like this navy, it isn't bad at all—our officers are nice and that makes it better. I suppose you are having a lot of cold there sure don't see any. Have you bought a place yet? Write me all the news. Tell all the kids hello. You ask me if I ever see Jesse? No, we are quite a way apart, but maybe some day we will see each other. The folks here don't worry about me. Write often. Lots of love and God bless you all.

Your husband and Father, Walter.

THOMAS APPRECIATES HIS MOREHEAD FRIENDS

Dear Sir:

One of my aunts has written me that you published my first letter in you on the front page of your paper. I do hope you rearranged it for when I wrote it. I could hardly think or see straight. I hope you keep sending the paper to all of us because it is just like getting a letter from home. It has all the things we want to know about, where the men are serving, and how they are doing it for the war effort. We know that our fair city is doing its utmost in its support of us. Everywhere we go, we are met with the same proud say that our folks don't go on strikes.

And you can tell everyone that we are doing our best and as soon as we like the Krauts we will go after the Japs on our way home.

In the name of all the fellows, I want to thank you and ask that you keep sending The Rowan County News. Thanks and good luck.

Jack Thomas.

DYER BOYS WRITE FROM OVERSEAS

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dyer of Clearfield have two boys in the service and both serving overseas. Murvel writes from Belgium:

Dear Family:
I have been writing quite often and hope you have been getting my letters. I went to bed early tonight, but couldn't sleep so decided to write to you. I hope you folks are well and happy. I am in the best of health tonight. I am always glad to hear of you being in church for that is a fine place to be. We have services here, too. Mother, don't worry about me for I am getting along fine.

Well, I don't know much to write so I will close for this time. I will say goodnight to you and the rest of my friends. Love to you, from your son,

Murvel.

STEWART'S BRIGADE GETS CROIX DE GUERRE

Pvt. James M. Stewart of Clearfield is serving with the Sixth Army in France. Here is what is told of his brigade:

"An outstanding example of comradeship in arms, in the way the citation for the Croix de Guerre to the headquarters of the 13th Field Artillery Brigade and a field artillery group under its command reads:

The brigade was awarded the Croix de Guerre in Italy by General Juin, commander of the French Expeditionary Corps, after it had driven, in support of the French, from Cassino to Siena, the longest sustained drive by American troops since 1865.

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Today, the brigade, with American artillerymen fighting along side French artillerymen under a French command, is completing a year of battle with the French. Supporting the drive of the French First Army along the Swiss border to Germany.

TWO LOCAL MEN WIN PROMOTIONS IN AIR FORCE

This week we have received word of the promotion of two Morehead boys who have been together in Greenland since leaving the states last year in early summer. They are: W. E. Calvert, who has been made a sergeant, and Hubert Allen who is now a Private First Class.

As a member of the Army Airways Communications System of the Army Air Forces, he has an important assignment in connection with its world-wide operations.

The AACs controls take-offs, landings, and traffic at airbases; provides communication with planes in flight and exchanges aircraft movement and weather information with other stations; locates lost or grounded planes; and maintains and operates the range and other radio navigational equipment that guide pilots safely to all corners of the world.

Army Airways Communications System stations, like the one somewhere in the North Atlantic where Pfc. Allen is stationed, are located along the highways of the air in every part of the globe.

(20) HORSES AT AUCTION (20)

MOREHEAD STOCKYARDS

Tuesday, January 30 1:00 O'clock

These are gentle, well-broken, young Illinois horses. Horses will be at yards for inspection Saturday, January 27.

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COLLEGE GYMNASIUM, 8:00 P.M.

BRECK VS. O'VILLE

(ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE ROWAN COUNTY INFANTILE PARALYSIS FUND)

SATURDAY, FEB. 3
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EAGLES VS. BEREA

Tickets On Sale At
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GRILL, BISHOP'S, EAGLES NEST and
BY THE GIRL SCOUTS.

SOCIETY

Attend OES School In Ashland Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. John Will Holbrook, Mrs. Edith Proctor, and Mrs. Earl McBrayer attended the O.E.S. School of Instruction held in Ashland last Saturday. They were guests at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Fred Gross, while in the city. The school will be held in Olive Hill this week on Saturday and several officers and members plan to attend.

Reo and Mrs. Charles Dietze were business visitors in Louisville, Saturday.



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Mrs. Jayne Spends Week In Indiana

Mrs. Ernest Jayne, who is with the finance department in Frankfort, is spending the week in Evansville, Indiana, on business connected with the department.

Local People Will Attend Mayville Meet

The World Fellowship meet will be held in Mayville, February 9 to 11, at the Christian Church. An interesting program is being prepared. Several of the young people of the local church plan to attend. The meeting begins Friday afternoon and continues through Sunday.

Mrs. Evans Continues Very Ill

Mrs. Drew Evans, who has been so seriously ill for the past three weeks and who was taken to the hospital in Lexington over a week ago, is still in a very grave condition although she is holding her own. Her daughter, Miss Gladys is still with her mother.

Clester Riddle Leaves After Thirty Days

Sergeant Clester Riddle left Wednesday for Camp Atterbury, Indiana, after a thirty-day furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Riddle and family. Sergeant Riddle will be sent from Camp Atterbury to the West from which place he expects to be sent back to Hawaii, where he has assigned.

ready spent thirty-one months. According to his information, he will only remain there about six months this time.

Services Held For Wilson Hogge Infant

The infant child, four months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hogge died on Wednesday of last week, after an illness of only a few days. The baby was one of twin daughters born in September. Funeral services were held by Rev. B. H. Kaeze on Friday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. Burial was in Brown Cemetery.

Mrs. Walker Writes To Former News Editor

Mrs. George Walker, now living in San Diego, California, writes the editor of The Rowan County News and Independent that she is still interested in the news from and about Morehead people and friends. Her husband, Commander Walker, who asked, and was given sea duty, left Morehead early last summer at which time Mrs. Walker returned to California. She says she has had a hard time finding a house in which to live and finally had to buy one. She also says she will soon write to her friends in Morehead.

Planck-Evans Nuptials Performed At Mayville

Miss Tina Planck, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Planck of this county became the

bride of T. S. George B. Evans, at Mayville, Kentucky, last Friday. The groom is the son of the late J. T. (Bunk) Evans and Mrs. Evans. Attendees at the wedding were Mrs. Volena Burkner, sister of the bride, Mrs. Hubert McDonald, sister of the groom and P. Milton Sloan. The bride chose for her wedding a costume of royal blue with black accessories. Her flowers were gardenias. Following a 28-day furlough, Mr. Evans will report to Spokane, Washington, while Mrs. Evans will resume her teaching in the Rowan County Schools.

Mrs. Frank Laughlin was shopping in Lexington, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Shaffer and daughter, Barbara, spent Tuesday in Lexington.

Mrs. Herbert Blam has returned from the Lexington hospital where she has been confined for the past week.

Mrs. B. F. Penix spent Wednesday and Thursday in Lexington and Louisville.

Mrs. T. P. Anderson has been confined to her home with the flu, for the past week.

Frank Laughlin was a business visitor in Cincinnati, Tuesday.

Miss Clara Bruce will be hostess to the East End Bridge Club at her home on Boys Avenue, tonight.

Paul Combs and daughter, Mary Carolyn, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bogges, in Grayson, over the week-end.

Roy Corlette, Bob Bishop and Vernon Alfrey were business visitors in Frankfort, Tuesday.

B. W. Corlette of Grayson was the guest of his mother, Mrs. D. B. Corlette and family, Sunday.

Miss Carlene Vencil of Cincinnati, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Vencil.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hicks and Mrs. Lester Hogge were Lexington visitors, Friday.

Mrs. C. F. Fraley spent the week-end in Huntington, the guest of her sister.

Mrs. Roy Caudill and Mrs. O. B. Blam spent Saturday in Lexington, shopping.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Dietze went to Lexington, Wednesday, to attend the conference of the Christian Church. They will return Friday.

Mrs. Roy Caudill and son, Dale, were Lexington visitors, Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Hogge spent Monday and Tuesday in Lexington visiting her son, Walter and family.

Mrs. Alice Williams of Seas Branch on Route Three moved to West Morehead this week.

Miss Mary Sue Purvis, who was ill last week, suffered a relapse this week and is again confined to her bed, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Purvis on Fourth Street.

Mrs. Beulah Green of Salt Lake has accepted the position as clerk and bookkeeper at The Citizens Bank.

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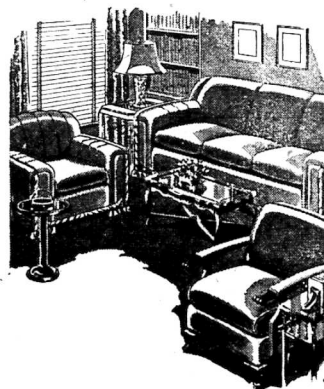
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USE 1944 PLATE NUMBER

The Lexington District OPA office has again called attention to the fact that there will be no new license plates issued in Kentucky in 1945. A windshield sticker is being issued in lieu of a plate. The 1944 plate must be retained on the vehicle. Gasoline coupons

must be endorsed with the 1944 license plate number rather than the serial number on the windshield sticker.

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INFORMATION ON G-I MATTERS

Below are Questions and Answers on G-I Matters furnishing such information many desire.

Question: I agreed to pay my former wife \$65 per month alimony. By law, can the ex-wife make the difference between \$42 and \$65 while I am in service?

Answer: No, the law provides that in no case will the monthly family allowance payment to a former wife exceed \$42. As long as you are in the service you can completely discharge your legal obligation to your divorced wife by means of a family allowance of \$42 per month of which \$22.00 will be deducted from your pay.

Question: I am the dependent mother of a son in the service and receive a family allowance. He is planning to get married and says he must discontinue my allowance because he can't afford to have \$44 a month taken out of his pay for both of us. Can he discontinue my allowance?

Answer: He has the right to discontinue my allowance, but he misunderstands the requirements. He may have the allowance paid to both you and his wife and the deduction from his pay will not be \$44, but only \$27—\$22 for the wife and \$5 for the mother. The government would make up the difference so that there would be no reduction in the allowance you now receive. He should see his Personal Affairs Officer and talk the matter over before requesting cancellation.

Question: Where are the personal belongings of a man killed in action sent? How can the family get them?

Answer: Write to the U. S. Army Personal Effects Quartermaster, Kansas City, Missouri.

Here's The Way Auction Bills Used To Read

PENDLETON, Aug. 29—A local resident has received a Kentucky paper printed in 1850, which was found in a Hamilton County home recently. It tells about a farm sale and reads as follows:

"Having sold my farm and intending to remove to Missouri, I will sell at public sale, one mile west and four miles south of Harrisburg, Kentucky, on September 28, 1850, the following personal property: One buck nag; 25 years old, weight 210 pounds; four nigger wenches, from 18 to 25 years old; three nigger boys, six years old; 12 nigger hoes, one fine sled, 6 yoke of oxen, well-broke; 10 ox yokes with 6-inch tires; one saddle pony, 5 years old; one side saddle; three double-shovel plows; 2 stump plows, 10 and 12 inch; 25 gallon whiskey jugs; 100 gallons apple cider; one barrel of good sorghum; 2 barrels of soap; two barrels of krait; one extra good nigger whip; 2 tons of tobacco, 2 years old. Sale will start at 1:30. Terms, cash. Need the money, Call H. W. Johnson, auctioneer; Bill Crawford, clerk; Joe Cooley, owner."

Exhibits To Feature Home-Farm Meeting

Rowan Counties Will Attend Convention At University of Kentucky

R. L. Decker, Glennis Fraley, Leland Hall and Claude Brown are among the many Rowan County farmers who have attended the Farm and Home convention in the past years. Mr. Hall and others from here are making his plans to attend this year's convention to be held at the University of Kentucky Experiment Station, January 30 to February 2. Exhibits of improved machinery, home-made labor-saving devices and latest methods in tobacco disease control, barn ventilation and curing methods will be features of the annual convention.

Several programs of the convention will deal with improved methods of farming, including ways to get work done with less labor and time. Experiment station men will demonstrate labor-saving methods as found in use on farms. Speakers will discuss ventilation of tobacco barns, control of tobacco diseases, better ways to cure hay, use of fertilizers, crop rotation, grass production and use

Question: I have been released by the army into the Enlisted Reserve; am I entitled to mustering-out pay? I didn't get any.

Answer: You are not entitled to such pay because you have not been discharged from the army.

Question: What is the total monthly family allowance paid to a service man's wife and five children?

Answer: \$160 per month.

Question: If my husband has his mother's name on the government insurance policy, in case of my husband's death can she come in for part of the insurance even if I am living?

Answer: If your husband has named you as the principal beneficiary, you will receive the benefits of the policy. In the event of your death, the contingent beneficiary (his mother) will receive whatever unpaid installments remain.

Question: If I have received a yellow certificate stating that my husband has applied for insurance and naming me as beneficiary, have I received the insurance policy?

Answer: You have not received the policy. What you received was merely notification by the Veterans' Administration of your designation of the so-called G-I Bill of Rights.

Question: What is the official designation of the so-called G-I Bill of Rights?

Answer: Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 (Public Law 346, Seventy-eighth Congress, June 22, 1944).

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of better seeds.

The importance of better farm water supplies will be discussed the first afternoon, including reservoirs, wells, springs and sanitation.

After general sessions the first and second days, the convention will be made up of special sessions dealing with dairying, meat production, poultry keeping, fruit growing, the management of soils, crop production, and improvement of farm living. Several breeders associations will meet during the convention. Women will have their own meetings all four days.

Noted speakers on the convention program include Governor Thomas L. Bailey of Mississippi, who will speak three times; H. E. Babcock of New York, national authority on farm cooperative associations; Rabbi Joseph Rauch, Dr. Charles W. Welch and Bishop William T. Watkins of Louisville; Dr. O. B. Jensen, Minnesota economist, and President H. L. Demmon and Dean Thomas P. Cooper of the University of Kentucky.

Erna Thompson is in Chicago this week on business. He will return the latter part of week.

Mrs. C. U. Waltz accompanied her small granddaughter, Miss Maribelle Lindsay to her home in Lexington, Sunday. Miss Lindsay had spent the week-end in Morehead.

Miss Pattie Caudill is attending Ohio State University this winter quarter. According to reports, the enrollment is up 28 percent during this quarter.

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Haldean Falls Before Breck By Overwhelming Count

By DON MILLER

The Eagles of Brecknridge won their eighth game of the season as they wallowed Haldean's Leopards, 62-10 at Haldean.

Coach Laughlin of the Eagles started his second team Tuesday night to give them some practice, and to give his hard-working first-stringers a rest. The first five played only 10 minutes of the entire game, but in that time amassed quite a few points.

The Eagles started off slowly and by only 14-9 at the half, but during the last half they hit almost at will while holding Haldean's offense at a virtual standstill. At times the Leopards could hardly get the ball up the floor.

Lifton of Breck started the attack with a set shot from the side and the Eagles were never headed.

Fraley paced the Eaglet attack with 14 points, followed closely by Hutchinson who dropped in 12. Roberts was best for the losers with 6.

Here is the box score:

BRECK	HALDEAN
Allen 7	6 Roberts
Hutchinson 12	3 Click
Fraley 14	4 Cox
5	1 Hamm
Banks 5	5 Sturgill
Mayhall 7	
Battson 9	
Huggins 1	
Bays 1	

RATIONING

AT A GLANCE

Processed Foods: Blue stamps X-5 through Z-5, and A-2 through G-2 in War Ration Book Four now good for 10 points each.

Meats and Fats: Red stamps Q-5 through X-5 in War Ration Book Four now good for 10 points each.

Sugar: Sugar stamp 34 in Book Four now good for five pounds. Another sugar stamp will be validated on February 1, 1945.

Shoes: Airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 in War Ration Book Three each good for one pair of shoes until further notice.

Gasoline: Stamp A-14 good for four gal-

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TWO MILES FROM MOREHEAD ON FLEMINGSBURG ROAD

Americans All

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ber of the "Bat Eye" night fighters.

Other Marine fighters were active during this news period in making strikes against Japanese ships and bases. Second Air Wing pilots struck at Rota in the Marianas and, in a sweep near Babelthup in the Palau, First Air Wing flyers crippled enemy shipping.

The Second and Fourth Marine Air Wing were occupied in these additional manners:

Second MAW—Based on Saipan and providing fighter protection for the island, from which Army B-29's carry on raids against Tokyo.

Fourth MAW—Based in the Marshall Islands and making "milk runs" against Mil, Wotje, Jaluit and Maloeap stolls in the Marshalls.

THOMAS BOYS WRITE TO THEIR MOTHER

Mrs. Hattie Thomas (colored) has three boys in the service: Bobbie, in the Army and Earl in the Navy aboard the Yorktown, both of them serving in the Pacific area. The boys met at Christmas time and sent their mother a Christmas card signed with both their names. The other boy is Theodore who is in the Army. He was injured recently but was able to write to his mother. He says:

My Dear Mother:
Just a few lines to let you know I am getting along fine and I don't want you to worry. I had my arm broken on December 15 and am in the hospital in Italy. When have you heard from Bobbie and Earl? I haven't had a letter from either for a long time and I would sure like to. It is hard for me to write, but I just felt that I had to. Tell everyone "hello" for me. I had a fair Christmas. I have heard that you are having a hard winter in Ken-

tucky. I sent my Purple Heart to Flora and told her to send it to you. Mother, I will have to close now. Love and write soon. Your Son, Theodore.

Earl writes:
Dear Mother:
As I start this letter I have a lot on my mind that I would like to have such a dear mother as you. I am in fine health and have no worries whatever. And, to top all that off I received letters and cards from the ones I love most that makes me happy. I hope your Christmas was as bright as mine. I hope and pray that next Christmas I can put my arms around you and wish you a Merry Christmas. How is Step? Did he get the present that Bobbie and I sent him? I received the package Mr. Battison sent. It was swell. I will write soon and thank him. I would sure like to hear from Theodore.
Mother, you take care of yourself and write soon.
Love from your son, Earl.

Bobbie says:
Hello, Mother:
I received two very nice cards today, one from you and one from Roger Dee Thomas (Step). They found me will and it was sweet of you to add the little note, even though you didn't say much there was lots said that was not written. Well, in about three days now it will be Christmas again and again it finds me a long way from home. But just the same I wish you a Merry Christmas, and hope we will all be together next

year. How were Theodore and Earl the last time you heard from them? I know you were down home on the 8th for Betty wrote me and said you had such a good time together. Yes, I received the pictures of Bobbie Jean. She is too cute for words.
Well, Mother, due to the fact that there is not much to tell you, I will have to close. I just wanted to say hello and wish you a Merry Christmas.
Your loving son, Bobbie.

Former Morehead Church Pastor In European Theater

Chaplain Carroll B. Cloyd, who was pastor of the Morehead Christian Church from 1926 to 1929 is now serving in the European war theater. Rev. Cloyd has the rank of Captain. The following article was printed in the "Morehead Christian" and is a reprint from the January World Call.

Things have moved so rapidly and have moved so often that our mail is always getting delayed but it finally reaches us. And all mail from the USA looks mighty good.
My men are scattered over a stretch of road of about 120 miles long. I held three services each Sunday where the three largest detachments are billeted one at 10 a.m., another 38 miles away at 2:00 p.m., and another about 45 miles further on at 5:30 p.m. I have more than 6,000 miles of my

jeep and trailer in the little more than two months I have been on the continent. As there are no protestant churches in any of the towns where the men are, I hold services in theaters, mess halls, out in the open, or anywhere I can get the men together. Last Sunday I held a service in a glass factory where one group of men was billeted.
It is a wonderful experience and a most gratifying service we are privileged to do here. I appreciate my chance to serve.

Carroll B. Cloyd, Chaplain (Chaplain Cloyd is a Captain).

"Are We The Only Ones," Writer Queries

Other Nations Have Wisdom Too Which We Should Recognize

By RUTH TAYLOR

Are we the only ones? Have we the only wisdom? What we need to win the peace is just what we needed to win the war—joint councils of strategy, collective action, collective thinking, collective wisdom.

We who have fought together should not change acquaintances, meeting only to separate when the emergency is temporarily over. We are comrades who should have learned how to give and take and who by working together should have grown to appreciate each other.

The international conferences which have been held these past months—the Food Conference, the International Labor Conference, the Monetary Conference, UNRRA Dumbarton Oaks and the others have not been secret meetings planned to foster power politics up on the world—but a sincere seeking for the lowest common problems. In contrast to the policy of national economic isolationism, which denies the existence of mutual interests, they have searched for ways of cooperation, which would be to the enlightened self-interest of each nation.

There can be no permanent peace if each nation pursues its domestic policy without regard to its effect on the outside world. This applies to us as much as it does to the nations of Europe. As long as the ocean was a barrier, we could stand aloof. Now the ocean is no longer a barrier, but a lane. We are a part of the world, not apart from it.

In common council we can learn each others problems. Through friendly discussion we can achieve understanding. The huge obstacles in the path to reconstruction can be conquered only by all of us collectively, regardless of our race, our nationality, our class, or our creed, if we keep our ideals, if we cling steadfastly to the belief that humanity by its own exertions can attain a higher and nobler destiny than anything it has known. Only in this way may our hopes of a world made free from war be realized.

We are not the only ones.

Fellowships Topic Of Discussion At Meeting Of AAUW

The American Association of University Women Fellowships was the program topic at the regular monthly meeting on January 15, held at the home of Miss Juanita Minish.

Mrs. Gordon Pennebaker, president, presided at the business session. Announcement was made of the Book Club meeting scheduled for Thursday, January 25, at which time Miss Ophele Minish is to review Time for Decision, by Summer Welles. The Economic and Legislative Status of Women was announced as the topic for the February meeting.

After the business session, Mrs. Wilfred Waltz, chairman of the program committee presented Miss Juanita Minish, fellowship committee chairman, who had charge of the program for the evening. Miss Minish was assisted by Miss Martha Lee Pennebaker and Miss Betty Jean Wolford in giving to the club members some general information on the Fellowship program of the association; how national and international fellowships are awarded and something of the interesting work of the fellowship students.

A pleasant social hour followed the program at which time Miss Minish was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. Minish, Mrs. Pennebaker and Miss Wolford.

CAMP BLANDING, Fla. — Jan. 25—A batch of newly arrived trainees here, at work on that commonplace army task of "policing the area," were told by their sergeant to "pick up everything that don't grow."

Just then a pretty civilian bellowed the sergeant. "It's still growing!" "It's embled by on her way to work. Eager beams brightened the faces of the rookies.

Buy War Bonds!



WARREN COOPER, pictured above, has become the big name in Kentucky college basketball circles. He holds the state college scoring record, running up 39 points against Louisville last year. His 34 points in the Murray game last week was one of the season's individual scoring highlights in Kentucky basketball.

Following his performance in the Boston arena, in which the Eagles downed La Salle University, Boston newspapers placed Cooper as one of the great players to perform in the East. If he continues his scoring pace he is slated for an All-American berth.

GOOD PICTURES!

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Better—or Just as Good?

MOST of us aren't satisfied with buying—or growing—or manufacturing—something that's "just as good." We want something better. And, in most cases, that something better comes through competition.

For competition—real competition—is something besides two people making, or offering for sale, the same goods or services. It involves a lot more. And anybody who serves the public prospers because he has something better to offer—whether it's quality, price, service, or just a clean appearance and a pleasant smile.

Real competition doesn't come from punitive taxes, or subsidies, or any other sort of horse-race handicapping to make everybody in business start even. For it isn't equality that's needed; it's the inequalities that are the true measure of progress.

Real competition is the kind that encourages the manufacturer, the farmer, or business man to get his quality up, his costs down, and to develop new things his customers want. It's this kind of competition that produces something better rather than something just as good—that insures to the public a steady increase in the value it gets for its money. General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Hear the G-E radio program: "The G-E Allight Orchestra" Sunday 10 p.m. EWT, NBC—"The World Today" news, Monday through Friday 6:45 p.m. EWT, CBS—"The G-E House Party," Monday through Friday 4:00 p.m. EWT, EWS.

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NEXT to MOM'S COOKING

HE THINKS OF HOME IN TERMS OF GETTING BACK ON THE JOB

OUR national leaders advise us to be prepared for the coming of peace, for the return to normal living standards. At the heart of the whole problem of reconversion is the question of jobs for returning servicemen and women and all who need and want them.

Aside from those who will enter or resume professional careers, or open their own businesses, the returning veterans have only two choices as to jobs. One kind is provided by Government and controlled by politicians. The other is provided by private business and industry. Farm jobs, like factory jobs, depend on the employer earning a legitimate profit.

Under our American system of free enterprise, the farm boy who "hires out" has a right to hope to own his farm some day, just as the factory or office worker or salesman has a right to hope to rise to a position of responsibility with his firm or even to own it.

Socialized industry such as TVA and socialized business, for which TVA sets a pattern, seek to substitute planned economy for free enterprise, to substitute a regimented people for a free people. They do not create new wealth but seek to take over markets developed under the American system. They aim to exploit where others have pioneered.

So we must face the larger question: What kind of industry do we want in Kentucky? Do we want the Government-subsidized brand that pays little or no taxes, that limits advancement to political favorites? Or do we want the kind that American free enterprise provides—offering equal opportunity, paying its share of the tax load, supporting worthwhile community projects of every kind?

Upon the answers you give to those questions depends the kind of community and job to which your men and women in service will return.

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OES To Give Tea In Honor Of Mrs. John Will Holbrook

The Morehead chapter, number 27, O.E.S., will give a tea honoring Mrs. John Will Holbrook, who was recently elected grand conductress of Kentucky. Invitations have been issued to all the grand officers and all lodges in neighboring cities. In receiving line, will be Mrs. Holbrook and all attending grand officers and distinguished guests.

The committee on arrangements is Mrs. Lindsay Caudill, Mrs. C. L. Cooper, Mrs. Arch Williams, Mrs. Curt Hutchinson, and Mrs. Coy Hibbard.

Several social affairs are being planned for Monday, honoring the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Lorraine Payne, of Louisville and other guests.

Monday night official inspection of the Morehead Lodge will take place.

Freeman-Vencill Engagement Announced

An announcement which will be of great interest to their many friends and acquaintances is that of the engagement and approach of marriage of Miss Lorene Freeman of LaGrange, Georgia, and Mr. Ludolph Vencill, formerly of Morehead and now residing in Richland, Washington.

Miss Freeman is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Freeman, socially prominent residents of LaGrange, Georgia. Miss Freeman's only brother is serving with the armed forces abroad.

Miss Freeman attended LaGrange College where she received her Bachelor of Arts degree. She was president of the Town Girls' Club, president of the Dunc Club, and was chosen for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. For the past two years she has been associated in the capacity of physicist, with the DuPont organization in Childersburg, Alabama.

The groom elect is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Vencill, Flemingsburg Road, Morehead. His sisters are Mrs. C. D. Caudill of Canton, Ohio, and Miss Karlene Vencill of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. Vencill attended Morehead State College, where he received his Bachelor of Arts degree, and did one and one-half years of post graduate work toward a Master's Degree at the University of Kentucky, where he was a member of the Honorary Physics Society of America. For the past three years he has been employed by the DuPont de Nemours Company in Childersburg, Alabama, and Richland, Washington.

The marriage will be solemnized at the Presbyterian Church in Richland, Washington, on February 14, with immediate members of the two families and intimate friends in attendance. After a brief honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Vencill will be at home to "help many friends in Richland, Washington.

Miss Lindsay Visits In Morehead

Mrs. Walter Calvert and daughter, little Miss Barbara, returned Thursday evening from a short visit in Lexington, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindsay and daughter, Maribelle. Miss Maribelle accompanied them home and spent the week-end visiting her grandmother, Mrs. C. U. Waltz.

James Johnson Back On the Job

James Johnson, who has been ill at his home in Lexington, is improved and was able to return to work this week. He and his wife and son will spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson.

Entertain With Supper, Bingo Party

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Jayne were hosts at a bingo party last at their home on Wilson Avenue. Before the bingo game a pot-luck supper was enjoyed by the guests.

Visits Here Enroute To California Camp

Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Herbst had as their guest last week, her brother, Pvt. Russell Gardner, who was enroute from Camp Blandrig, Florida, to Camp Ord, California.

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